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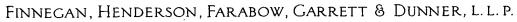
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We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- Application 10 pages, including 3 claims and 10 claims 1. total.
- Drawings 6 sheets of formal drawings containing 5 figures. 2.
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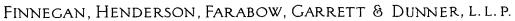
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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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